THE HONORABLE MARSHA J. PECHMAN

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

CLAUDE A. REESE, Individually and on Behalf of All Others Similarly Situated, Plaintiff, v. JOHN BROWNE and ROBERT A. MALONE, Defendants.	No. C08-1008 MJP **STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED] ORDER REGARDING BRIEFING SCHEDULE WITH RESPECT TO MOTION TO DISMISS CONSOLIDATED CLASS ACTION COMPLAINT** Note for Motion Calendar: August 15, 2008

STIPULATION

WHEREAS, the above-captioned action was originally filed in the United States District Court for the Central District of California;

WHEREAS, the Lead Plaintiffs moved to transfer venue to the Western District of Washington pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1404(a) on April 28, 2008;

WHEREAS, the Consolidated Class Action Complaint was filed on May 12, 2008 in the United States District Court for the Central District of California;

WHEREAS, the Honorable R. Gary Klausner granted Lead Plaintiffs' motion to transfer venue to the Western District of Washington pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1404(a) on June 19, 2008;

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WHEREAS, the action was transferred to the Western District of Washington on or about June 23, 2008;

WHEREAS, Defendants moved to dismiss the consolidated class action complaint on July 24, 2008 pursuant to this stipulation and noted the motion for consideration on October 6, 2008; and

WHEREAS, there are no other pending dates set by the Court that would be affected by this briefing schedule;

THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by Lead Plaintiffs and Defendants BP p.l.c., BP America Inc., BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc., Steve Marshall, Maureen L. Johnson, John Browne and Walter E. Massey, through their respective counsel of record, as follows:

1. Lead Plaintiffs shall file any opposition to Defendants' motion to dismiss the Consolidated Class Action Complaint no later than September 17, 2008.

2. Defendants' reply in further support of their motion to dismiss the Consolidated Class Action Complaint shall be filed no later than October 6, 2008.

3. To comply with Local Rule 7(d)(3), the date the motion is noted for consideration is changed to Friday, October 10, 2008.

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Dated this 15th day of August, 2008

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ORDER

Pursuant to the Stipulation of the parties, and good cause appearing therefore, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:

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Dated: August ____, 2008

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Honorable Marsha J. Pechman
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on August 15, 2008, I caused to be delivered the Stipulation and [Proposed] Order Regarding Briefing Schedule with Respect to Motion to Dismiss Consolidated Class Action Complaint and (this) Certificate of Service via the Court's CM/ECF System to the parties listed below.

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